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In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
Tooru MORITA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 9853
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For: POROUS MULTILAYERED HOLLOW FIBER AND FILTRATION MODULE, AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING POROUS MULTILAYERED HOLLOW FIBER

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated June 16, 2006, pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, together with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) submitted concurrently herewith.